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In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant:	Yukio Shakuda et al)
Serial No.:	10/690,580)
Filed:	October 23, 2003) AMENDMENT
For:	SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT EMITTING DEVICE)
Attny Ref.:	KAW 105)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Official Action mailed on May 5, 2005. No fee is due. However, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 if any fees are needed to enter this paper, and please advise us accordingly. It is noted that no petition is required because of the authorization to charge, but please consider this paper a petition for extension of time if needed.

The present amendment should put the case into condition for allowance. Rejected claim 1 is amended to include the subject matter of allowable claim 9; new claim 12 includes the subject matter of allowable claim 2; and new claim 18 includes the subject matter of allowable claim 6. The other new claims that depend from these allowable claims are copied from the original dependent claims.